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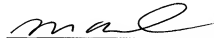
Pursuant to the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. 1.56, Applicants enclose an Information Disclosure Citation Form (PTO-1449) which lists the documents noted in the Japanese Office Action issued on January 18, 2011 being submitted herewith. A copy of the Japanese documents cited therein are enclosed.

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